

CHURCH DEDICATION.

BRYAN, OHIO, April 30th. 1894.

TO THE BRETHREN IN GENERAL;—The Brethren church of Bryan, Williams Co., Ohio, will be dedicated May 20th, 1894. The dedicatory services will be conducted by Bro. S. J. Harrison, of Ashland, Ohio, and Bro. Martin Shively of Gratis, Ohio. The services are to begin at ten o'clock. All are cordially invited to be present and help in dedicating the church to the service of God, and his glory. S. KEISER.

TWENTY-THREE STAND UP FOR CHRIST.

HARRISONBURG, VA., April 20th, '94.

We commenced a meeting at Mt. Grove, April 8th, and continued it till April 18th. This was my first effort in revival work. The Lord has abundantly blessed my weak effort. We tried to hold up the Gospel alone doctrine. It will take anywhere. Four of the twenty-three are not baptized yet, but will be in the near future. I ask the prayers of the Brotherhood that I may be an humble learner at Jesus feet, and fully learn that of ourselves we can do nothing. We are aiming to hold the banner of Jesus high enough that more may look and live. If we ask God he will hear us for he has promised it. If God be for us who can be against us? May God's blessings rest on our Brotherhood and may the ministry be willing to sacrifice all for the saving of sinners.

Yours Frat.
JOS. I. HALL.

COMMUNION NOTICE.

The brethren of Mt. Zion class will hold their semi annual Love feast and communion on the evening of the 19th of May, 1894. Will be pleased to see all members of this congregation present. All of like faith are cordially invited.

MRS I. INBODY.

By order of the pastor, J. M. Palmer

NOTICE.

AURELIA, IOWA.

The brethren at this place, will hold their quarterly love feast services May 5th, 1894 at 7 p. m. The usual invitation is extended to all.

C. FORNEY, Pastor.

THE FRIGATE BIRD.

Though the petrel is swift, the frigate bird is far swifter. Seamen generally believe that the frigate bird can start at daybreak with the trade-winds from the coast of Africa and roost the same night upon the American shore. Whether this is a fact has not yet been conclusively determined; but it is certain that this bird is the swiftest of winged creatures, and is able to fly, under favorable conditions, two hundred miles an hour.—Sel

We want spiritual discernment, if we are to read the things of God. And to that end we must cultivate ourselves spiritually—not neglect that part, and then deny all spiritual verities because we do not discern them; but cultivate our spirit nature, that we may discern..... By culture; long, deep, single, arduous inlook outlook, uplook; windows open on every side, God's balmy air stealing in, our growing love outgoing toward God. Not in resolves and prayers and emotions only, but in daily overflow of sympathy and deed we get the discerning power.—Ex.

A man exercising no forethought will soon experience present sorrow.—Confucius.

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